OCR – GCSE DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY

Year 10					
TERM 1 content and skills	TERM 2 content and skills	TERM 3 content and skills	EXTENDED CURRICULUM (trips/visits/after school activities)		
Introduction to the Course Core Principles of Design & Technology Chapter 1: Identifying Requirements Chapter 2: Learning from existing products	Core Principles of Design & Technology Chapter 3: Implications of wider issues Chapter 4: Design thinking and communication	Core Principles of Design & Technology Chapter 5: Material considerations Chapter 6: Mechanical devices and electronic systems	Possible visit to or workshops with The Design Museum Design Ventura Competition Entry		
Design Ventura Project Investigation & analysis Sketching & annotation Teamwork & collaborative designing Modelling & Prototyping CAD-CAM Tinkercad and 3d printing 2dDesignTools, Laser cutter and Vinyl cutter Testing & Review Evaluation Presentation skills	Design Ventura Project Investigation & analysis Sketching & annotation Teamwork & collaborative designing Modelling & Prototyping CAD-CAM Tinkercad and 3d printing 2dDesignTools, Laser cutter and Vinyl cutter Testing & Review Evaluation Presentation skills Trial NEA Project Explore Context Design Brief and identification of Stakeholders Primary User needs and wants – Requirements Initial Ideas Iterations Materials and Testing Focus	Trial NEA Project Skills Lessons NEA (Non-Exam Assessment)—Launch Introduce Brief Investigate Contexts			

	Evaluation Skills Lessons SketchUp 2D Design – Laser Cutting Paper & Card Prototyping				
Assessment: Chapter 1: Identifying Requirements – Mid Term Test Chapter 2: Learning from existing products and practice – End of Term Test Design Ventura Project Internal Assessment	Assessment: Chapter 3: Implications of wider issues – Mid Term Test Chapter 4: Design thinking and communication – End of Term Test Design Ventura Project Internal Assessment Design Ventura Competition Entry Trial NEA Internal Assessment	Assessment: Chapter 5: Material considerations – Mid Term Test Chapter 6: Mechanical devices and electronic systems – End of Term Test Trial NEA Internal Assessment Core Principles of Design & Technology – Year 10 Mock Exam			
Year 11					
Core Principles of Design & Technology Chapter 7: New and Emerging Technologies	Core Principles of Design & Technology Revision In-Depth Principles of Design & Technology Revision	Core Principles of Design & Technology Revision NEA (Non-Exam Assessment)			
In-Depth Principles of Design & Technology	NEA (Non-Exam Assessment) Development of design ideas Prototyping CAD-CAM	Final Testing, Review & Evaluation Project PowerPoint presentation			
Chapter 11: Polymers			[

Project PowerPoint presentation			
Assessment:	Assessment:	Assessment:	
Chapter 7: New and Emerging Technologies – Mid Term Test Core Principles of Design & Technology – Year 11 Interim exam Chapter 11: Polymers – End of Term Test	Core Principles of Design & Technology – Year 11 Mock Exam NEA - Assessment	Core Principles of Design & Technology Written Exam Paper NEA - Assessment	